State of Hawaii DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES Division of Aquatic Resources Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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Board of Land and Natural Resources Honolulu, Hawaii

REQUEST TO ENTER INTO A SIX-MONTH NO-COST EXTENSION (SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACT NO. 1) FOR CONTRACT NO. 55999 BETWEEN DLNR AND BISHOP MUSEUM FOR AN INVERTEBRATE SURVEY OF NINE NORTH SHORE OAHU STREAMS (EXTENDED FROM JULY 1, 2008-DECEMBER 31, 2008)

Submitted herewith for your consideration is a request for a six-month no-cost extension for Contract No. 55999 between the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) and the Bishop Museum, a Hawaii nonprofit corporation. Supplemental Contract No. 1 will allow continuation of the study titled "Nine Stream Aquatic Invertebrate Assessment on North Oahu: Surveys, Identification, Data Management, and Standardized Reporting" from July 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008. The initial contract period for Contract No. 55999 was May 31, 2007 through June 30, 2008, with one option to extend for six months.

Bishop Museum has requested the option to extend as they were unable to complete the survey due to poor weather conditions. The six-month extension will provide time to complete activities including collection and identification of arthropods occurring along and near selected streams, detailed site descriptions, photographs and recorded GPS points for all sample sites, compilation of data collected during the study, and submission of a final report.

RECOMMENDATION:

"That the Board authorize the Chairperson to negotiate and, subject to all necessary approvals, extend Contract No. 55999 with the Bishop Museum through December 31, 2008."

Respectfully submitted,

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Administrator

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:

LAURA'H. THIELEN

Chairperson